PATENT/APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

John S. FORMON et al.

Group Art Unit: 3724

Serial No.: 10/092,350

Examiner: Omar Flores Sanchez

Filed: March 7, 2002

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For: Apparatus and Methods Usable in

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time for responding to the restriction requirement mailed October 6, 2003 in the above-captioned application. The extension will provide a new response due date of December 6, 2003, thereby rendering timely the response being filed herewith. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733 for the extension fee of \$110.00 (large entity).

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Respectfully submit

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Date: December 5, 2003

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